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## REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRIORITY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

The above-identified application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/124,048 filed March 12, 1999. Applicants filed a Preliminary Amendment on December 13, 2001 amending the specification to reflect the priority claim. A copy of the December 13, 2001 Preliminary Amendment is attached for the examiner's convenience. Applicants hereby request that the PTO records be updated to indicate the priority claim properly.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with this request. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this request to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted

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## REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF NOTICE OF RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT DOCUMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

For:

The information as it appears on the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document in connection with the above-identified application is incorrect. The application number incorrectly reads 09/860,000 when it should read "09/869,000."

Please correct this information which appears at Reel 012142, Frame 0259 and forward the Corrected Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document to the undersigned. Copies of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document, the executed Assignment, and the Recordation Form Cover Sheet are included herewith. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned immediately.

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